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## FARMERS' CONFERENCE SEES BIG ATTENDANCE

A large and representative attendance of farmers and councillors from Gilt Edge, Grizzly Bear, Battle River and Vale Districts met on Saturday last under the sponsorship of the M.D. Councils and farm organizations. These meetings are a new departure in farmer meetings in that they include all farmer interests and attempt to make each meeting an independent and free conference.

Mr. H. U. Taylor was elected as chairman, with Mr. Ken Taylor as secretary of the meeting.

A resolutions committee consisting of Messrs Reynolds, Collette, Garmann, Gardiner and F. Ford was elected, and they later presented the following resolutions which were all endorsed by those present:

1. To ask the Federal government to open the Buffalo Park as a community pasture.
2. Resolution on Party Prices: (a) A planned production policy for agriculture; (b) Make funds available to advance farm production; (c) A moratorium for all secured debts for duration of war; (d) Security of tenure for farmers for duration; (e) that a floor be placed under farm prices; (f) that party prices be established at 1936-37 level; (g) that no price ceiling be set below cost of production; (h) that a national farm production and marketing board be

established under a single executive, and that a majority of representatives be elected by farmers; (i) that crop insurance take the place of unsatisfactory bonus system; (j) Initial price of \$1.00 per bushel for first 2,000 bushels; (k) policy of farm storage in sealed granaries; (l) that freight rates be equalized.

3. That a farmers' representative be placed in each packing plant to check on rail grading of goods for producers.

4. To encourage Canadian Co-operative implements in organizing.

5. Protect the use of Orders-in-Council method of government, and that any Acts put in force to date be debated in the House of Commons.

6. That we favor conscription of all wealth to precede or accompany conscription of man power.

7. That a continuation committee be elected to carry on the work, and that this committee call another meeting as soon as possible. Those elected under this resolution were: Messrs K. T. Taylor, Councillors Arthur Collette, Cassels and Gardiner; H. U. Taylor (U.F.A.); Zehnder and Gilling (U.F.C.).

During the meeting an address was given by Mr. Calvin Colvin, of Canmore, on the co-operative implements plan, and co-operative effort and organization, for which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered.

## WAINWRIGHT MERCHANTS SPONSOR GOODWILL DAYS

Santa Claus here for the Kiddies; Merchants Will Have Special Offers for Holiday Season; Big Free Show; Trade Board Committee Busy.

A committee of six in the persons of Messrs. Gerrie Conroy, Carman Coleman, Leland Baxter, Joe Kenan, W. Washburn and P. May are truly working night and main to make sure that the latest innovation of the merchants and business men generally of Wainwright—TWO BIG "GOODWILL DAYS"—will go over with a bang, and that the Christmas spirit among all and sundry from over the whole shopping territory will be properly and fully engendered despite the very many pressing adverse circumstances attending the awful war being waged in Europe, and which is affecting everyone to a greater or lesser extent.

For Tuesday and Wednesday, December 16th and 17th, Wainwright will do a gala attitude, and it is hoped that all our town and country friends will be on hand during that time to take advantage of the many

special bargains which are to be offered in the stores and also to enjoy (both themselves and the youngsters) the big FREE show (Jack London's "Sea Wolf") which will be given at the Elks Theatre for the whole of the two days. His Majesty Santa Claus will, of course, assist in the merriment, and perform his big stunt of making the kiddies happy with his free distribution of goodies, etc., dear to their little hearts.

Here is a project which is being undertaken by all the merchants, etc., in town, and each one of them extends a very personal invitation to all to get to town on the Big Days and join heartily in the spirit of the affair, so that the first of these annual "Goodwill Days" celebrations will prove a high mark for coming affairs to shoot at.

Don't forget the dates—December 16th and 17th.

## Council of Battle River M.D. Approve Tax Consolidations

The Council of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 428 met in the office of the Secretary Treasurer in Irma on Thursday, November 13. Full Council was present as follows: Councillors Killy, Blakley, Archibald, Smallwood, Steele and Collette with Reeve R. D. Smallwood in the chair.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the minutes of October 9th as read by the Secretary be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that Motion No. 391 of August 11th, 1940, be amended by adding the words "with the permission of the Minister of Public Works".—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that Motion No. 395 of October 9th, 1941, regarding closing of road between Sections 34-45-9 and Section 34-46-9 be rescinded.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the Council of Division 4 be granted permission to place danger signs at both ends of Road Allowance between Sections 34-45-9 and 34-46-9.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that the correspondence to and from the Soldier Settlement of Canada and Alberta Attorney General be Jas. Kennedy, NE 20 and SW 20-46-9 as read, be received.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the correspondence from J. E. Brownlee, K.C., re J. Hesdon, SE 36-46-7 W4th be received and filed.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that the Secretary write Mr. C. Rodgers that the Municipal District will accept the sum of amount of current taxes for the M.D. share of feed on the 8 1/2 W. 12-44-7.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the Secretary be instructed to advise on T. A. Schiek for \$82.32 rent due on all 13-45-7 W4th.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the application for Tax Consolidation on the NW 12-44-9 and SW 24-44-9 be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that the application for Tax Consolidation on NW 7-44-8, SW 13-44-9, SE 13-44-9 and NW 36-45-9 be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Steele—that the application for Tax Consolidation on the NW 36-45-9 be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Steele—that the application for Tax Consolidation on the NW 37-46-7 be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that the application for Tax Consolidation on the NE 7-44-9 be approved.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the terms of the Tax Sale for November 19th be 50 per cent cash balance on 5 equal annual installments at 5 per cent interest on the unpaid balance.—Carried.

The Secretary reported that: as per advertisement in the Alberta Gazette of September 30th, 1941, lands which were not redeemed were offered for sale by public auction on Thursday, November 13th, and as no

bids were received, the sale was declared closed.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the Secretary be instructed to notify Mr. Hesdon that unless he purchases the 311 1/2 bushels of wheat, as per motion No. 381 of October 14th, by November 25th, that the Secretary be instructed to sell same without delay at the elevator and report at December meeting.—Carried. Coun. Killy dissenting.

It was moved that the Semi-Annual Reports of the Inspector of Mothers' Allowances re Mrs. J. McKie, Mrs. T. Meyers, Mrs. E. Elliott, Mrs. J. Rome, Mrs. A. Bruneau, Mrs. G. Hodgson, be accepted.—Carried in each instance.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the application of Geo. McLean for direct relief, dated November 13th, be received and that relief be issued for \$20.00 until December 11th.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the Reeve and Secretary be a Committee to issue relief to F. Carter when he presents himself and a statement of affairs, if said statement warrants same.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy that the report of Coun. Archibald re R. A. Hendry hospital account be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that the letter from the National War Service Board re Gunner A. Larson be received.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the Secretary write to the Workmen's Compensation Board to the effect that as Mr. Curtis has not paid the M.D. his share of the 1940 assessment that they collect same from that party.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Steele—that the full

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## AN APPEAL TO FARMERS

Will you help Canada's war effort by authorizing your hog buyer to deduct fifty cents per hog from each shipment, or by authorizing your Creamery manager to deduct twenty-five cents per can from each shipment, for the purchase of war savings certificates. When sufficient money has been deducted it will be sent to Ottawa and a certificate will be sent to you. Hog buyers and creamery managers have agreed to co-operate in this plan.

By investing in War Savings Certificates you are building up a cash reserve for yourself and your family. These certificates provide a cash return with three per cent compounded half-yearly if held to maturity.

Miss Ethel Brown was a tripper to the city on business last week for a couple of days.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Harvey Burton Wilson, who entered into rest on December 9th, 1940.

More and more each day we miss him. Friends may think the wound has healed. But they little know the sorrow Deep within our heart concealed.

—Father, Mother, Sisters & Brother.

## BOARD OF TRADE MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Wainwright Board of Trade will be a DINNER MEETING at the Wainwright Hotel, Tonight (WEDNESDAY) at SEVEN P.M. Sharp.

All interested are required to be in attendance; there is important business to deal with.

J. Baxter, Sec.

## Sudden Death of Aunburndale Man

Taken suddenly ill on Wednesday morning last, and rushed to hospital at Vermilion for an operation for hernia, Mr. Guy Harrison Kent failed to survive the shock and passed away on the evening of the same day from peritonitis and heart failure. He was 67 years of age.

The deceased was born in Greenville, Mich., U.S., and came to Canada in 1907. In 1908 he moved to the farm at Aunburndale, and has lived there since. Mr. Kent is survived by his two daughters, Miss Dorothy, of Vancouver, and Mrs. C. Martin, of Maseeta, Queen Charlotte Islands and one son (Aldous) at home.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon last, the service being held in the Aunburndale church, and interment made in the cemetery there.

## Nice Attendance At Institute Meeting

At a recent meeting of the local W.I., held at the home of Mrs. W. T. Brunker, some 20 members attended, with three visitors.

Reports were given by the committees handling the wheel drive, the parcels to the needy, the sending of ditty bags, and the draw for the carnival quilt.

A gift donated by Mrs. Brunker was won by Mrs. Greer, and at the close a nice lunch was served by Mrs. P. May and Mrs. J. Stuart.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Michon, when Mrs. Nordstrom and Mrs. Torrance will serve.

## Theatre to Show 'Thief of Bagdad'

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, the big feature at the Elks will be the wonderful fantasy "The Thief of Bagdad," this being in full technicolor.

Two years in production, the story shows the adventure of a thief who works in the interests of his sovereign until his ends are attained in full.

Involved in the film are such things as the magic carpet and flying carpet of Oriental fame, and the scene is set in a flask for 2,000 years and released by the thief to work in his interests.

Technology utilized in these scenes is far above the normal, and the staging on a scale fully matching the scope given the writers of this Persian fantasy, and which should attract overflow audiences.

This is a MUST picture, so plan to see it this week end at the Elks.

## Music Club Organized St. Joseph's Academy

On Thursday evening last the pupils of the higher grades of St. Joseph's Academy Music Class assembled at the Academy; the purpose of their meeting being to organize a Studio Club. The students elected Edna Schultz president, Shirley Miller vice-president, Edna Schultz secretary and Joyce Lally and Eileen Taylor committee members.

A very interesting and helpful paper on studio clubs was then read by Edna Schultz. This was followed by a number of piano selections by members of the music class. All present enjoyed the fine methods of their music club, and all are enthusiastic in their plans for a program to be given their friends during the early winter.

## ELKS' PATRIOTIC CARNIVAL PROVES VERY SUCCESSFUL

The members of the local lodge, B.P.O.E. No. 23, were have great reason to congratulate themselves upon the result of their hard work last week in staging the big patriotic carnival at the separate School Hall last week.

On both nights of the affair, the hall was literally crowded with visitors all anxious to assist with the project—and incidentally to "beat the tiger," if possible.

Handling the affair under the direction of Committeemen Cliff Reynolds and Omer Michon were Messrs. H. E. Macdonald, Lou Torg, Phil May, Basil Schumaker, Geo. Boyd and Ray LeBlanc, and these men (with a bunch of willing helpers) offered the "fun of the fair" to all and sundry until a very late hour at each gathering.

During the merriment a "jitney" dance attracted quite a number of devotees who enjoyed the music of the Merry-makers Trio for this part

of the programme, and during the whole time ladies of the War Service League served tea and light lunches, where also the "tea-supper" held out promises of fortunes to come! The pretty decorated hall caused much comment, and indeed the whole affair is one which reflects great credit on all concerned and from which a real big donation will be turned over to the funds of the local branch of the War Service League, who are faithfully sending parcels overseas to the boys from this district in the several branches of the war service.

'Twas a nice job boys, and the next like affair will be looked for with anticipation.

During the second evening draws were made on a radio (won by V. Pare, of Fabyan) a handsome bed spread (won by Miss E. Beasley) and a dandy quilt (won by A. Kilpatrick), and the thanks of all interested are extended for the kindly assistance rendered in this connection.

## New Color Scheme For Alberta Plates

### B.E.S.L. MEMBERS SAY "THANK YOU"

The members of the Wainwright Branch of the Canadian Legion wish to express their sincere thanks to all who made their Annual "Remembrance Day" gathering so successful; particularly to the management of the Elks Theatre, those who attended such a success in the Poppy Sales campaign, and the public generally.

### THE EXECUTIVE

## Christmas Suggestions By Mail Officials

Suggestions to expedite mailing of Christmas parcels sent to safeguard, as far as possible proper delivery of the items, have been released by the postal authorities.

Much grief and loss of time could be saved if all mail matter bore the full address of the addressee. This may be delayed or not delivered if the sender fails to write the full address.

The authorities suggest that in the case of parcels it would be wise to enclose a card bearing the name and address of the sender and addressee so that if the cover should become damaged through handling, delivery may still be made.

An address carelessly or illegibly written may cause misinterpretation and wrong delivery, the announcement states, and particular care is necessary in wrapping parcels which contain fragile articles to prevent damage to the contents.

It is recommended that the deadline for mailing for the States be Dec. 10th, as during the Christmas season there is unusual parcel congestion at custom points.

On a visit to her daughter Vera, Mrs. Pete Voros spent a couple of days in Edmonton last week.

### WEDDING BELLS

#### McMANN—READ

A quiet little wedding was performed at the Wainwright United church on Tuesday last when the pastor, Rev. A. D. Richard, conducted the marriage rites between Miss Hazel Irene Read, of Provost, and Mr. Orville Arthur McMann, of Ribstone. Only immediate friends of the happy couple were present.

### With U. S. Patrol Off Greenland

A plant factory raises its glimmering white wall to tower above the back of a United States patrol vessel engaged in the Greenland patrol in this striking photograph. The navy now keeps constant watch thereabouts by air and sea.

## Bank of Montreal Financial Statement Is Strong One

Indicative of the extent to which the Bank of Montreal is participating in Canada's war effort is the large assets figure of \$1,046,551,479 shown in the institution's annual statement, just issued. — a figure which is the highest shown in any annual statement of this 124-year-old organization. Important increases are also shown in deposits and loans — the former at \$928,357,889 also constituting a record at the close of a financial year. With high liquid condition, substantial cash reserves and large holdings of high-grade securities, the report reflects the characteristic strength of the bank and gives ample evidence of its ability to meet the even greater demands that may be made upon it as a result of the war.

The statement, which is for the 12 months ended October 31, is set out in its customary "easily understandable" form, the various items of the balance sheet being accompanied by explanatory notes.

Commercial loans, including advances to manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, have increased substantially, being 18 per cent above the 1940 figure. In Canada these loans amount to \$264,427,000, compared with \$216,709,000 a year ago; the comparable figures for commercial loans abroad are \$21,271,000 and \$14,801,000. Call loans, both at home and abroad, show a drop, as was to be expected—the 1941 figure of \$20,061,000 being down by more than four million dollars.

As a whole, with the advance in commercial loans, there is a sizeable increase in the bank's loaning business. Notwithstanding this expansion, the statement reflects no impairment in the bank's liquidity.

By far the most important item in the bank's quickly available assets is, of course, its holdings of government and other bonds and debentures. These amount to \$498,740,000, compared with \$461,827,000 a year ago and consist in the main of Dominion Government and high-grade provincial and municipal securities which mature at early dates.

In Canada, the bank's deposits have risen from \$751,081,000 to the record figure of \$809,110,000, while abroad a small increase has also occurred. The 1941 figure of \$119,277,000 being about a million and a half dollars above the amount shown a year ago.

With total assets amounting to \$1,046,551,479 and public liabilities standing at \$809,646,006, the excess of resources over liabilities, which represents the shareholders' interest in the bank, amounts to \$236,905,473. Profits for the twelve months remain practically stationary. After making provision for bad and doubtful debts and after deducting Dominion Government taxes amounting to \$2,242,505, the profit figure stands at \$3,457,026, and is equal to 4.51 per cent on the shareholders' equity as against 4.5 per cent last year.

## ANNUAL MEETING of the Wainwright Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

The annual meeting and election of Officers of the Legion will be held in the Masonic Hall on Monday, December 15th, 1941, at 8 p.m.

All ex-service men are cordially invited to attend.

By Order.

## Gasoline to Be Rationed in Spring

The system of rationing gasoline will not come into operation until the early spring, according to a high authority in Ottawa on Saturday. March is mentioned as the probable month.

While the principle is definitely settled, details are far from being. It will take at least two months to get them ready and to set up the administration organization which is required.

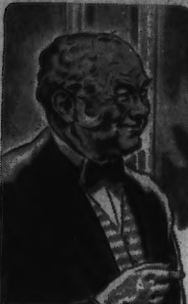
Distinction will be drawn between gasoline supplied for cars driven for pleasure and other cars or trucks operated as regular adjuncts to business. The plan is to organize so many units over a period whether it be a month or a week. It can all be used up in a day or so, or crumpled over the whole period, but in the former case, no fresh supply will be available. There will be precautions against boot-legging between those who use a little and those who use a lot.

## Happy Days

Andrew J. ("Bossy") Gille, here shown at work as the Middlesex (Mass.) county farm, where he is now serving a sentence for libel, has been sentenced as being "insane" for the mayor's office "Wainwright Star" case. Despite his incarceration, his campaign was carried on by his wife, and he was elected a candidate of becoming mad in the December election.



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## THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

Three major steps in further organization of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for its extensive new functions are announced by the Hon. J. L. Hiley, Minister of Finance.

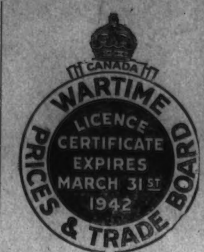
The three steps are a change in the Chairmanship, the establishment of an important new body to trade in commodities and control commodity prices, and the reorganization of the Board to provide further co-ordination of the several governmental departments involved.

Donald Gordon, Deputy Governor of the Bank of Canada, who has been serving as Associate Chairman during the preparatory period of the past two weeks, now becomes Chairman of the Board and will be the directing head of the price ceiling policy.

Hector B. McKinnon, the previous Chairman, will continue as a member of the Board and will take on new duties as President of a commodity prices stabilization corporation, now being organized, which will operate in connection with the purchase and resale of various commodities, particularly raw materials, at prices which will ensure the maintenance of retail selling prices.

"Mr. McKinnon's years of experience as Commissioner of Tariffs and Chairman of the Tariff Board," Mr. Hiley said, "make him a recognized authority in the field of imports, import prices, and the whole structure of Canadian industry. The Corporation will be engaging in increasingly important and large-scale transactions, involving heavy financial commitments and use of Government funds, and Mr. McKinnon, a senior Government Adviser, will be sure to receive the same measure of public confidence as the Government reposes in him in asking him to assume the heavy responsibilities of his new office."

S. R. Noble of Montreal, Assistant General Manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, who has been Sugar Administrator for the past two years, and is now acting as special adviser to the Board on these problems, will probably be Vice-President of the new



Corporation.

The Wartime Prices and Trade Board has been enlarged by the addition of four new members, these being:

L. Dana Wilgess, Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce, Bryce M. Stewart, Deputy Minister of Labor, J. G. Bouchard, Assistant Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Walter Lockhart Gordon, Special Assistant to the Deputy Minister of Finance.

By the addition of these members the Wartime Prices and Trade Board now represents all the governmental departments and agencies most directly concerned in control of prices, including Agriculture, Labor, Finance, Trade and Commerce, Munitions and Supply, National Revenue and the Bank of Canada. The Board now consists of seven members, the other seven being: Donald Gordon, Chairman; Hector B. McKinnon, David Sim, F. A. McGregor, A. M. Shaw, Yves Lamontagne and R. C. Berkinshaw. Mr. Berkinshaw is Chairman of the Wartime Industries Control Board and his membership in the Wartime Prices Board provides close co-ordination between the two Boards. The Secretary of the latter Board is K. W. Taylor.

By these steps the central administration of the price ceiling organization is regarded as complete. Substantial progress has been made during the past week toward completing the organization of Co-ordinators and Administrators who will have responsibility for maintenance of price control in all branches of Canadian business and industry. Administrators of the major commodities and industries and of the retail and wholesale trades have already been appointed and regional offices of the Wartime Prices Board, from coast to coast, are being established. Further appointments are pending and it is believed that the very extensive organization required to administer and enforce the price ceiling will be substantial, completely before the deadline date of December 1.

In general, the work of the Wartime Prices Board in dealing directly with questions of policy, rests in the hands of permanent civil servants of long experience and high repute, supplemented by outstanding business executives, such as R. C. Berkinshaw and S. R. Noble, while execution of policy in each industry and branch of trade will be supervised by men of top ranking in their respective fields, recruited from business and agriculture for the public service in this tremendous undertaking.

### CAPABLE SCOT GIVEN

#### HEAVY WARTIME JOB

A six-foot Highlander with a powerful personality and a knack of getting things done in the bewildering world of finance has just been appointed to the heavy responsibility of guiding his country through an economic sea completely unmarked on the charts of democracy.

His name is Donald Gordon, and at the age of 40 he has been called from his job as Deputy Governor of the Bank of Canada to the Chairmanship of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. It will be his task to put a ceiling over prices, to stop the spiral of disastrous inflation.

Horatio Alger would have liked the story of Donald Gordon's rise to his present position of vital importance. He arrived here, a penniless Scottish immigrant, at the age of 13. At 15 he started out in the field of finance as a clerk in the Bank of Nova Scotia. At 19 he was a bank inspector, the youngest in Canada. At 29 he was assistant manager of the Bank of Canada's main office in Toronto and at 34 was first Secretary of the Bank

### Coal Strike



Philip Murray, C.I.O. president and John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers president, are shown leaving the White House after a conference with the President in connection with the coal mine dispute between the mine workers' union and the steel companies owning the mines.

of Canada. At 37 he was the Bank of Canada's Deputy Governor. Now, at 40, he faces a job that will require every ounce of training and financial ability he has acquired in the steep climb from immigrant boy to bank governor.

He brings as a blessing to his new job, the traditional solidness and sense of fair play of the Scot. He is a realist in a job where wild theories and a tendency to dabble with haphazard experiments might be disastrous.

He makes no effort to gloss over the grief involved in the thing he is attempting. He believes it is unavoidable as the grief Canada's fighting men must bear in serving their country on the sea, the land and in the air. But he is also convinced that it is a means of heading off a worse grief and to this end he has turned the energies which have already made him an outstanding figure on Canada's economic scene.

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### ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE SENDING RECRUITS TO SCHOOL

Men fit for training as pilots or observers in the R.C.A.F. but who lack junior matriculation or the equivalent are going to be given a helping hand. The Air Force will send them to school to bring them up to the required educational standards and they will receive pay while they are under instruction.

At R.C.A.F. Headquarters recently, it was announced that a new arrangement has been reached between the Air Force and the Dominion Provincial War Emergency Training Program whereby prospective pilots or observers who did not obtain their junior matriculation may receive special instruction in English, Mathematics and Science to enable them to meet the necessary requirements.

These courses will last 18 weeks and are open to prospective recruits who can meet all other R.C.A.F. requirements but who are one or two years short of their junior matriculation. While taking the course, single men living at home will be paid \$7 a week, single men away from home will receive \$9 a week, and heads of families will receive \$12 a week. Applicants must be between the ages of 17 years, 8 months and 32 years, 6 months.

Instruction will concentrate on those aspects of the three main subjects which will be of most value to men in their subsequent air training. Interspersed throughout the eighteen weeks will be frequent talks on the history and organization of the R.C.A.F., supplemented if possible by lectures from R.C.A.F. officers who have been overseas. There will also be opportunities for physical training and sports.

Some students may be able to finish the course in less than the 18 weeks scheduled; all will, on completion of their instruction, be immediately enlisted in the R.C.A.F.

The courses open about the middle of each month at the various Youth Training schools throughout Canada. Applicants should communicate with No. 3 Recruiting Centre, Edmonton, Alberta, at once.

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT

31st October, 1941

## RESOURCES

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Notes and Cheques on Other Banks	38,972,993.05
Payable in cash on presentation	54,960,697.77
Money on Deposit with Other Banks	498,740,536.76
Available on demand or at short notice	
Government and Other Bonds and Debentures	183,364.86
Not exceeding market value. The greater portion consists of Dominion Government and high-grade Provincial and Municipal securities which mature at early dates.	
Stocks	20,041,722.55
Industrial and other stocks. Not exceeding market value.	
Call Loans	
In Canada	\$ 4,472,437.64
Elsewhere	15,569,284.91
Payable on demand and secured by bonds, stock and other negotiable collateral of greater value than the loans.	
Bankers' Acceptances	6,811.15
Prime drafts accepted by other banks.	
<b>TOTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES (equal to 75% of all Liabilities to the Public)</b>	<b>\$705,662,010.59</b>
Loans to Provincial and Municipal Governments including School Districts	28,564,546.45
Commercial and Other Loans	275,698,972.17
In Canada	\$254,427,218.03
Elsewhere	21,271,754.14
To manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, on conditions consistent with sound banking.	
Bank Premises	13,900,000.00
Two properties only are carried in the names of holding companies; the stock and bonds of these companies are entirely owned by the Bank and appear on its books at \$1.00 in each case. All other of the Bank's premises, the value of which largely exceeds \$13,900,000.00 are included under this heading.	
Real Estate, and Mortgages on Real Estate Sold by the Bank	947,199.39
Acquired in the course of the Bank's business and in process of being realized upon.	
Customers' Liability under Acceptances and Letters of Credit	18,772,428.22
Represents liabilities of customers on account of Letters of Credit issued and Drafts accepted by the Bank for their account.	
Other Assets not included in the Foregoing	2,606,322.43
Making Total Resources of	\$1,046,551,479.25

## LIABILITIES

<b>Due to the Public</b>	
Deposits	\$928,387,889.51
In Canada	\$809,110,875.52
Elsewhere	119,277,013.99
Payable on demand or after notice.	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	17,890,850.50
Payable on demand.	
Acceptances and Letters of Credit Outstanding	18,772,428.22
Financial responsibility undertaken on behalf of customers (see off-setting amount in "Resources").	
Other Liabilities	4,594,440.73
Items which do not come under the foregoing headings.	
Total Liabilities to the Public	969,645,608.96
To meet which the Bank has resources as indicated above amounting to	1,046,551,479.25
Leaving an excess of Resources over Liabilities, which represents the Shareholders' interest over which Liabilities to the Public take precedence.	
Capital	\$36,000,000.00
Reserve Fund, Profit & Loss Account and Reserves for Dividends	40,905,870.29
	\$76,905,870.29
<b>PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT</b>	
Profits for the year ended 31st October, 1941, after making appropriations to Contingent Reserve Fund, out of which Fund full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts has been made, and after deducting Dominion Government Taxes amounting to \$1,242,903.10	\$5,457,026.60
Dividends paid or payable to Shareholders	\$2,880,000.00
Appropriation for Bank Premises	500,000.00
	\$3,380,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1940	\$1,321,642.15
Less adjustment of previous years' taxes	225,000.00
	\$1,096,642.15
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$1,153,684.75
HUNTLEY R. DRUMMOND, President	JACKSON DODDS, G. W. SPINNEY, Joint General Managers

The strength of a bank is determined by its history, its policy, its management and the extent of its resources. For 124 years the Bank of Montreal has been in the forefront of Canadian finance.

SEVENTY-TWO THOUSAND  
CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS

As early as August, 72,000 Christmas boxes began their trek from the Red Cross packing centre in London to Britain's 70,000 men in the prison camps of Germany. The extra 2,000 parcels are an insurance that everybody gets one. The first lap was to Lisbon; the next to Marseilles; then on to Geneva; and so to Germany. Nor has the Red Cross forgotten

In each box was a Christmas pudding, a double ration of chocolate, chocolate biscuits, rye biscuits, jam, marmalade, roast pork and stuffing, a tin of steak and tomato, condensed milk, four ounces of sugar, two ounces of tea and a Christmas cake. 7,200,000 cigarettes went off at the same time in separate packages of 100—a double ration for each man. The value of this Christmas gift is 36,000 pounds.

the little band of eleven British chil-

dren in German internment camps. Each of them has been sent a special parcel of barley sugar, boiled sweets and so on. And to one hospital in Belgium where there are soldiers who have been lying on their backs since Dunkirk has gone a consignment of jig-saw puzzles.

The jig-saw puzzles were put together at 17 Red Cross centres in England and Scotland by 2,000 pacers, 2000 of whom did the work for nothing.

## World of Wheat

H. G. L. Strange,  
Director, Research Department,  
Searle Grain Company, Ltd.

The price of wheat is now the subject of intense discussion. Some are suggesting that wheat should be at "parity." What does "parity" mean? Used in this sense, "parity" simply means that a bushel of wheat should have the same purchasing power as it had at some previous date; and the date usually considered as fair is the Crop Year 1913-1914.

To calculate such "parity" it is of course necessary to know what the costs now are of the things our farmers have to buy. The Searle Index, which was started in 1930 with this very object in view, reveals that today it costs prairie farmers 30 per cent more for the things they have to buy than it did in 1913-1914, whereas the price of wheat today is 22 per cent lower than it was in 1913-1914; a bushel of wheat today, therefore, has a purchasing power of only 52 per cent of what it had in 1913-1914.

For a bushel of wheat to have the same purchasing power as it had in 1913-1914, the price therefore, to calculate, would have to be approximately \$1.20 a bushel for No. 1 Northern in store for William.

The United States Department of Agriculture in 1934 started an index similar to the Searle Index. Washington has now decided to restore the purchasing power of wheat and other farm products in the U.S.A. to the 1913-1914 level.

Following factors have tended to raise price:—Nazi operations in southern Russia threaten the rich Caucasian agricultural region—The U.S. Congress has revised the Neutrality Act to enable American ships to enter the war zone—The Canadian Government has sold 120 million bushels of wheat to Britain.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Burma is expected to harvest a record rice crop in 1941-42—The Oriental political situation continues to disturb exports across the Pacific—The Argentine exportable surplus of wheat has been estimated officially at 191 million bushels—Acreage to fall wheat in Canada in 1941 is 13 per cent above a year ago.

INDOOR FORCING OF RHUBARB  
FOR HOME USE

(Experimental Farms News)  
During the winter months the use of fresh vegetables is denied to the average home owing to the high cost of the imported product. For a long period of the year if vegetables are to be included in the daily diet, reliance must be placed upon the stored and canned product.

Rhubarb constitutes an exception to the general rule. This healthful and appetizing vegetable can be readily forced in many homes providing a continuous supply of edible stalks from December to March inclusive. All that is necessary is a cellar maintaining a fairly uniform temperature of from 58 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit, together with a supply of rhubarb roots suitable for forcing, says L. C. Young, Dominion Experiment Station, Fredericton, N.B.

Crowns two years in age and over and preferably those from which little if any crop has been removed during the preceding year are suitable for forcing. They should be dug before the ground freezes solidly in the fall and left outside until thoroughly frozen. For this purpose they may be stored in an open shed and given a light covering of soil or straw to prevent excessive drying out. For best results they should be frozen for a period of five or six weeks prior to forcing.

For forcing purposes the crowns may be planted in boxes or placed in boxes or placed fairly closely together on the cellar floor with the intervening spaces filled with a light soil or sand. A thorough watering should be given at the time of planting. After that the soil or sand should be kept only moderately moist.

Light must be excluded and the temperature held as closely to 58 degrees Fahrenheit as possible. At this temperature the first picking will be ready in approximately four weeks time and the harvesting period will continue for four or five weeks. At temperatures approaching 70 degrees picking may commence earlier, but the harvest period will be considerably shortened and the stalks too long and spindly. Low temperatures delay the harvest and

## CHRISTMAS PUDDING PREVIEW



ITS cook-house magic the services agree as James Morgan, top chef of the Canadian National Railways dining car, mixes the more than two score ingredients required to make 24,000 individual helpings of pudding to be served on trains during the Christmas season. Two tons of pudding are needed to fill that order and as men of the Navy, Army and Air Force then travelling will have their share, representatives of the services were invited to see the job get under way. They crowded Chef Morgan but did not cramp his style and this season's four thousand pounds of pudding material were assembled and cooked in a work space 12 feet long by 35 inches wide—the kitchen of a dining car parked in the yards at Montreal—leaving scant clearance for stout cooks.

The photograph shows, left to right, Signaller Merrill Rumson, RCVR; Chief Instructor Chef, James Morgan, CNR; A/C-L Joseph Clark, RCAF; and Drummer McLean Anderson, RCASC.



A woman worker in the Brown-burg, P.Q. small arms ammunition plant is shown inspecting plants. Canada is now turning out shells and bombs of all sizes in large quantities.

produce stalks too dark in color.

Four or five large roots will supply the needs of an average family. If these roots are brought in at intervals of three weeks, a constant supply of rhubarb may be had throughout the winter months.

ALL SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLDS  
REQUIRED TO REGISTER

Satisfaction has been expressed by Hon. J. T. Thomson, Minister of National War Services, at the manner in which the youth of Canada is responding to the regulation calling for all persons to fill out the National Registration forms upon reaching the age of sixteen.

According to the Bureau of Statistics 222,000 persons in Canada reached the age of sixteen during the past year. Of this number, approximately 112,000 were males and 110,000 females.

Records of the National Registration Bureau for the same period indicate that the number of new registration forms reaching Ottawa

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COURTESY COMFORT ECONOMY

## MUGGS AND SKEETER





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WAINWRIGHT, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3rd, 1941.

## CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

The Christmas shopping season is on.  
Business analysts all predict that it will be one of the biggest and busiest Christmas seasons in the history of the country. More people are working. Incomes are higher. And, in spite of the uncertainty about the future, or perhaps because of it, most people are expected to do more spending this year than they have done for a long time.

The tragedies abroad, the increasing threat of war for this country and labor difficulties will continue to be of deep concern to the people of this nation, but those stories will be stepped over a little faster as women hurry to the advertisements of Christmas gifts.

Canadians never have let anything interfere with Christmas and Christmas giving. Even during the height of the depression, Christmas was a big spending season. But this year, with the nation's purchasing power being skyrocketed by defense jobs, the stores will be taxed to capacity to fill the demands of the public.

Popular gift items, which are made of steel, rubber, tin, chromium, aluminum and other defense materials may be scarce or unavailable this year, but there will still be plenty of appropriate gift items for every member of the family. Celophane wrappings may not be easily obtained, but that will be because of the defense program too.

None of us is going to worry about the few things we can't get this year. There is still such a wide choice of gifts in the stores. But because of scarcities, and because of the expanding purchasing power, it is expected that many gift items may be sold out long before Christmas arrives. So, more than ever, it is important this year to do your Christmas shopping early.

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Toby and Busie, played by Neil and Caroline Schaffner, are the leading characters in the new comedy sketch being aired every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 11:45 over

CJCA. "Toby's Cornstarch News" is the hilarious story of a small town newspaper editor and his numerous "editions" which invariably backfire with amusing results.

## AMONG THE OLD TIMERS

REMINISCES OF OTHER DAYS

### TEN YEARS AGO

This week sees another round up at the National Buffalo Park when some 1500 buffalo will be slaughtered.

Mrs. Harry McKinnon passed away suddenly on Saturday last while visiting at the home of Mrs. Norman King of Fabyan. Mr. McKinnon had taken her there on his way to Irma on business and on calling for her on his way home that same day received the shocking news of her death.

Killa's Barber Shop has now a new occupant, this being Mr. Sorgen from Wetaskiwin.

The kiddies were still waiting for the ice-making at the rink, the warm weather having delayed this.

The town saw a large gathering of medicals attending a post-graduate medical clinic here with lectures by Eastern specialists.

Mr. W. Samuel Ford passed away suddenly this week while visiting with his brother Fred Ford at Heath.

The census figures were completed by the Dominion Government showing over ten million residents in Canada.

Indoor bowling contests were attracting large numbers at both the fraternal halls in town this week.

Radio fans will be able to hear Mrs. C. C. Church singing over C.G.E.R. at Long Beach, Calif., during the next two weeks.

## OUR FOOD SUPPLY

Written Specially for C.W.N.A. Newspapers by John Atkins, Farmer-Journalist

No. 6—A CHANCE TO LEARN

A nation-wide discussion of Canada's food supply problems will be open to every Canadian with eyes to see and ears to hear during this fall and winter.

Every Canadian who can possibly do so should set aside 9:30—9:30 (Eastern Daylight Saving Time) to learn more about Canada's food supply and how it can be maintained.

Never before have the people of any country had such an opportunity to gain knowledge of a problem which vitally affects personal well-being, national security and the world future.

Canada can grow and give and sell food in sufficient quantities to tip the scales of war and peace. What is essential to that achievement is surely of first importance to every intelligent Canadian in country, town and city.

Canada can sustain its agriculture as a war-winning industry and as a post-war shock absorber or it can cripple wartime food production and create a post-war burden of farm bankruptcy. Which Canada will depend upon the extent of the understanding co-operation between food producers and food consumers in Canada. There cannot be understanding without knowledge of each other's problems.

Beginning with Monday evening, November 10th, and continuing each Monday evening until March 30th, 1942, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will broadcast thought-provoking, dramatized discussions sponsored by the Canadian Federation of Agriculture and the Canadian Association for Adult Education, which will be known as Farm Radio Forums.

These radio discussions are intended to prime the pump of discussion which will draw knowledge from the experience of all Canadians. They are intended to stimulate study and to point to sources of information.

In the rural communities farmers will gather in forum groups to discuss the problems outlined in the radio presentations and to check the ideas offered with their own needs and possibilities. In town and city homes thousands of interested listeners will tune in as they did last winter. The problems presented and the solutions proposed will be amplified and interpreted in the editorial columns of the press which in its current news presents the facts upon which judgments are based.

During the Monday evenings, Dec. 15 to Jan. 5, the programs are specially designed for individual listening, being word pictures of farmers at work in the seat and the west.

Every community has its own food supply problems. Towns situated in agricultural areas must supplement local products with the products of

other food-producing areas, domestic and foreign, to a greater or lesser extent. Some Canadian towns and cities must bring all, or nearly all, of their food some distance. However it may be situated, no Canadian town can find all of the foods for the varied Canadian diet in its own district. Every Canadian town depends upon a well-balanced, properly-sustained agriculture for its basic food requirements. Every Canadian depends upon a maximum Canadian food production as a means of national defense.

Farmers are faced with acute and vital problems of labor supply, cost of production and means of production. These problems must be understood by all classes of Canadians before they can be solved. Every reader of this newspaper can help solve them.

V — — — V

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Canada's minister of justice, died in Montreal on Wednesday at the age of 65. A state funeral was held Saturday in St. Roch's church, Quebec city, with burial at Riviere Du Loup, St. Eloi, Mr. Lapointe's native village.

V — — — V

All those interested are asked to note that the annual meeting of the local branch of the Canadian Legion will be held on December 19th.

V — — — V

We are sympathizing with Cliff Reynolds this week who is around with a limp from an injured leg.

V — — — V

Nurse Roy of the Hospital staff was a visitor to Edmonton last week for a trip.

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Mrs. Everett Dick was away to the city to spend a couple of days with friends last week.

V — — — V

Help Win the War—Buy War Savings Certificates

## T-O-Y-S

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE ESTATE OF ARCHIE McCLUNEY, late of Fabyan, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Archie McCluneY, deceased, who died on the 10th day of June, A.D. 1941, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix, at Wainwright, Alberta, by the 20th day of January, A.D. 1942, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims; and after that date the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the Estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which Notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of November, A.D. 1941.

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## Reynolds Garage

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## Sheepskin Flats

Mrs. Henry Meyer, of Ponoka, is now visiting in the district.

We wish to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Vern Templeton on the birth of their little daughter.

Mr. Alvin Johnston spent the week end at the teachers' with his wife and baby daughter.

Mr. Joe Roberts visited over the week-end with Mr. T. Wilson of Tri-  
angle.

## WHITE CLOUD

A few from the district attended the Mayfield dance and enjoyed the evening.

Freddie Reid appeared to be on the sick list last week; at least he did not attend school.

Mr. L. Wallace has been very busy sawing and hauling lumber.

Miss Eva Myer is helping Mrs. Vern Treffrey for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. Myer is returning home on Sunday—letting the cold weather frighten her out.

## GILT EDGE

Mr. W. O'Connor had the misfortune to bump into a truck-load of grain. The truck was driven by Mr. T. Goddard.

A large crowd attended the card party and dance at Mascot school on Friday last.

Mrs. E. Goddard has moved into Wainwright for the winter.

The prize-winners at the party included Miss E. Plaxton, Mrs. W. Avil-  
son, Mrs. E. Plaxton, Mr. C. Decker,  
Mr. E. Dahlgren and Mr. J. White.

Be sure and attend the big doings at Plaxtonville on December 5th, and ladies are asked to bring a cake.

## LEATH

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Morton Herbert on the birth of a son on November 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis made a brief trip to the city last week.

Mrs. Rosie Messier and family left for Vermilion last week where they plan to live for the winter.

Mrs. McLeod was a business visitor in the city last week.

Eric Harley is at present delivering the mail on the rural route.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith are away in Vermilion for awhile; John having secured work there.

## GREENSHIELDS

Mr. E. Grenier was a tripper to Sedalia recently on business.

Word was received on Wednesday last of the sudden death of Mr. Pat. Patterson who has been serving overseas with the R.C.M.P. overseas detachment, somewhere in England. Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Patterson.

Mrs. Daniels and Billy were visitors to the city during the past week.

This week Mr. and Mrs. J. Tokar moved their household effects to the big town of Wainwright last week. Joe is now employed there.

Miss Lorna Reid is now assistant at Morrison's store and postoffice.

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CONTINUATION OF

## Battle River Council

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letter from the Dept. of Municipal Affairs and Inspector's report received by the Reeve and read to the Council be accepted and the Reeve acknowledge same. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the Secretary forward to the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts Secretary the four resolutions as approved by this Council to be brought before the Convention at Edmonton November 19-20-21, 1941.

Moved by Coun. Smallwood—that the Secretary write Mr. K. Tury asking for more information as to the proposed mass meeting, also expressing the co-operation of this District with other Municipalities. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the annual meeting of the M.D. of Battle River No. 423 be held in Hedley's Hall, Truro, on Saturday, February 21, 1942. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that a rate-payers mass meeting be held at Fab-  
yan Saturday afternoon, February 14,  
1942, and that the Reeve and Sec-  
retary attend the meeting. —Carried.

Bylaw No. 98, regarding the col-  
lection of certain taxes BE 10-45-9

account of sale in full were presented.  
First, second and third readings of  
Bylaw No. 98 were moved by Coun-  
cillors Steele, Blakley and Collette,  
respectively. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that the Secretary be granted leave of  
absence from duties during the week  
of November 17th. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Steele—that the  
Council accept the trade claim voucher  
of \$1,000.00 as per Articles of  
Agreement with the Dept. of Public  
Works 1941 road grant. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Archibald—that the  
\$1,000.00 Trade Claim Voucher

# THE PRICE CEILING ORDER IS NOW LAW

A fine up to \$5,000 and two years imprisonment is provided for offenses against this law  
What You Must Do to Comply With the Law

## 1. As a Consumer

You must not buy goods or services for more than the highest price charged for such goods or services during the basic period, September 15 to October 11. If in doubt, ask your merchant for proof the price he asks is a lawful price under the Price Ceiling order. Normal seasonal price changes in fresh fruits and vegetables and greenhouse products are exempt.

## 2. As a Retailer

You must not sell goods or services for more than the highest price at which you sold such goods or services in the basic period, September 15 to October 11.

You must not buy goods or services from manufacturers or wholesalers or any other sources for more than the highest price you paid to them in the basic period. It is intended that cases of serious hardship should be adjusted by reducing the cost of merchandise to the retailer. Retailers whose cost of merchandise delivered to them after November 30 is too high in relation to the ceiling prices should get in touch with their suppliers and try to arrange an adjustment fair to both parties.

The price of goods of a kind or quality not sold during the basic period must not be more than the highest price charged for substantially similar goods in the basic period.

## 3. As a Wholesaler

You must not sell goods or services at more than your highest price (less discounts then prevailing) for such goods or services during the basic period, September 15 to October 11. You must not buy goods or services for more than the highest prices paid during the basic period.

Wholesalers will be expected in some cases to reduce their prices below the ceiling in order that their retail accounts may carry on. Wholesalers in turn may have to ask their suppliers for price reductions.

The continued flow of goods through normal channels is of the utmost importance and the Board will intervene if suppliers divert business abnormally from one customer to another.

## 4. As a Manufacturer

You must not sell at prices higher than your highest price (less discounts then prevailing) during the basic period, September 15 to October 11.

In some cases it will be necessary for manufacturers to reduce their prices below the ceiling so that wholesale and retail accounts may carry on.

Where maintenance of the retail ceiling requires manufacturers' prices to be substantially reduced, the Board will investigate and in proper cases will afford necessary relief.

## Imports

Retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers are assured by the Board that any considerable increases in the costs of import of essential goods will be covered either by subsidies or by adjustment of taxes. Details will be announced shortly.

## Services Also Come Under This Law

The Price Ceiling law also applied to rates and charges for electricity, gas, steam heat, water, telephone, wireless, telegraph, transportation, provision of dock, harbour and pier facilities; warehousing and storage; manufacturing processes performed on a commission or custom basis; undertaking and embalming; laundering, cleaning, tailoring and dressmaking; hairdressing, barbering and beauty parlor services; plumbing, heating, painting, decorating, cleaning and renovating; repairing of all kinds; supplying of meals, refreshments and beverages; exhibition of motion pictures.

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count, that \$1,000.00 be transferred  
from the Social Service account to  
the municipal account and allocated  
to Divisions 3 and 4 (50-50) public  
works. —Carried. Councilors Small-  
wood and Killy dissenting.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the  
Statement of Receipts and Expendi-  
tures for month ending October 31,  
as presented, be accepted and incor-  
porated in the minutes. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the  
account of C. R. Madder for \$4.00 be  
received as read. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Collette—that the  
Secretary advise Mr. C. R. Madder  
that the M.D. is not responsible for  
repairs to his car. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the  
Secretary notify the Wainwright  
Municipal Hospital that the account  
of Grace Herder will be paid by R. A.  
Herder. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the  
Secretary write H. C. Wallace, M.D.,  
as to the account as rendered regard-  
ing illness on contagious diseases.  
—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Blakley—that the  
Reeve and Treasurer be and are her-  
by authorized to borrow from the  
Bank of Montreal the sum of Two  
thousand dollars deemed necessary  
for Municipal purposes. —Carried.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that the  
accounts and paycheques amounting  
to \$2494.66, be passed and paid. —  
Carried.

The Secretary was instructed to  
deal with the matter of leases and  
agreements of sales and report at  
the December meeting.

Moved by Coun. Killy—that coun-  
cil adjourn. —Carried.



# "CHERCHEZ LA FEMME"

PART FOUR  
Chapter 3—Continued

"Would you mind going over the pertinent facts for Miss Cameron's benefit, Sergeant?" the gentleman behind the desk requested as the two men waited until the girl was seated, before re-examining themselves again.

"What do you think of it, Marion?" the young woman's superior enquired as the girl pondered what she had heard for a few moments.

"Does it bear the imprint of anyone you've had dealings with before?"

"I don't think so," she replied slowly. "Although it's a bit early to form any definite opinion on the subject."

"I had a preliminary report on the case from Ottawa," the assistant-director continued, "together with a request from the Canadian authori-

ties that we assign an operator to for the care and protection of our star operator, Sergeant," he smiled at McLoudry, rising and shaking hands with the visiting officer as the latter, strangely associated pair prepared to leave the office.

"Don't worry, sir. I'll return her safe and sound," the "Montie" promised, little realizing that future events would prove how man proposes, and fate ordains otherwise.

"I think our first move, Sergeant," the young woman suggested to her athletic-looking escort as they left the headquarters of the F.B.I., "will be to run down to New Orleans and see if we can turn up a lead at the Hotel De Gaulle."

"Whatever you say, Miss Cameron, but for heaven's sake, drop the Sergeant while we're on this case, will you please, and just call me Larry. We may be on this case, or even months on this job, and Sergeant gets too monotonous altogether. How about it?"

"Okay, if you'll agree to call me Marion. It's also much nicer than Miss Cameron all the time. Is it a bargain?"

"Shake, little partner," McLoudry grinned down at his companion's five feet four inches. "Something tells me that we're going to get along right fine."

"Me, too!" Marion smiled up at his six feet two, clasping the Sergeant's hand in a bond of good-fellowship, and then leading the way to a smart roadster standing in the government building's private parking space.

"I'll just run over to my apartment and pack a few things," she continued, starting the motor and heading out into the swiftly moving traffic on the boulevard.

"I'll have to call at the hotel and get my bags, too," Larry reminded her as the snappy little car leaped ahead in high gear.

"Then it's away down south and see what we can do," Marion settled down to the job of dodging trucks and bicycles.

"We'll do all right. I'm not afraid of that with you along," Larry grinned to himself as she missed a cat by a whisker.

"I didn't take long for them to collect their respective belongings and leave the capital, after which they headed south for Richmond, where they stayed overnight, and then continued their journey the next day via Raleigh, Columbia, Mason and Montgomery, thence to Mobile and on to New Orleans, which they reached late on the second day after leaving the capital of Virginia.

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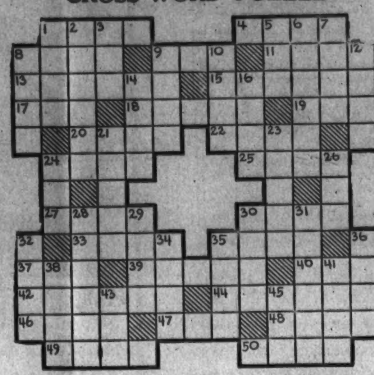
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## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



**HORIZONTAL**

1-Donated  
2-A vehicle (pl.)  
3-Pref. Against  
4-High mountain  
11-Want  
12-Character of the alphabet  
17-Dined  
18-Diverted friend  
19-Pref. Against  
20-Black cat tree  
22-Completed  
23-Boil slowly  
24-Claireville  
27-Musical pipe  
30-Chicest  
31-Chief actor  
35-Parade money  
37-Province of Canada (abbr.)

**HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**

38-A bird  
40-Greek letter  
42-Tormentor  
44-A. current (pl.)  
45-Satirist  
47-Large deer  
48-Musical composition  
49-Paper measure  
50-Otherwise

**VERTICAL**

1-An insect  
2-To bear witness to  
3-Content with  
5-Emmet  
6-Nicer  
7-Freight  
8-Examination of  
9-Regret  
10-Sweet particle

**VERTICAL (Cont.)**

10-Attached  
12-Fall in drops  
14-Violently killed  
16-Greek god of love  
21-An opinion  
22-Springs  
23-A title  
24-Small child  
25-Strange prophet  
26-Venture  
30-To fasten together  
31-Numbers  
32-Deceits  
34-Uncommon  
36-Direct hit  
38-Young girl  
39-Close by  
41-Genuine  
43-Ocean  
45-Monetary unit (abbr.)

ANSWER TO PUZZLE ON BACK PAGE

also adept at running repairs—drove exceptionally well for a woman. Marion admitted that at the Hotel De Gaulle they didn't linger very long over the coffee they had ordered, but, tired and weary after the grueling trip, retired to their respective rooms to catch up on their sleep, leaving instructions at the desk for an early call on the following day.

"Phew! It's pretty sticky in this part of the old U.S.A.," Larry greeted his companion the next morning. "Not like our northern climate, at all!"

"It does get pretty hot down here," Marion agreed. "Especially in the summer time. Still, it's not too bad, the Gulf helps to keep it bearable."

"Where did you think of making a start?" Larry asked her between mouthfuls of toast in the dining room.

"I thought we'd try and pick up a lead right here in the hotel—[I] that baggage tag you found in Room 26 at the Splendide isn't a false clue."

"I think I'll glance through the morning paper," Larry suggested, while you make a few enquiries. "I'll probably get further than I should—unofficially. If there's nothing doing, our next attempt to pick up the trail will have to be at Niagara Falls and that means another long drive, so put on your best afternoon smile, I'm keeping my fingers crossed."

"Don't worry. If there's any trace of that woman here, I'll find it," Marion smiled, finishing her coffee before departing to make a few discreet enquiries.

Picking up the morning paper a few moments later, McLoudry followed the girl from the dining room, and, capping an inviting chaperone in the lounge, enquired himself in comfort to read the news while waiting for his partner to return with a report of her investigations.

In the meantime, Marion, having studied the meagre description of the woman from the data in the Sergeant's notepad, approached the bell-captain and flashing him a winning smile of greeting, said, "Pardon me, but I'm trying to contact an old friend of mine who stayed here a short time ago. She often wears black and her hair isn't bobbed—quite a rarity these days," she laughed as the bell-captain smiled and commiserated. "It is a bit unusual, Miss, but I don't seem to recall any one who fits that description particularly. Perhaps your friend has some mannerism or characteristic which would help me to place her?" he suggested voluntarily, obviously only too anxious to be of service to the good-looking girl before him.

"She wore a pair of lovely green

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Psalm 122:1 "I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.' We extend that privilege to you and invite you to come."

began to recall the woman more clearly. "She was here about a month doing a song and dance act over at Kelley's Cabaret. Good looking—and partial to black—as you say."

"Did she leave any forwarding address, I wonder?" Marion prompted immediately.

"Just a minute, Miss. I'll check up and find out."

Did a song and dance act at Kelley's Cabaret, the F.B.I. operator noted the name on a card while the bell-captain was gone. "Sorry, Miss. Your friend checked out without leaving any address. That's why we had to send two or three letters to the dead-letter office after she'd gone."

"That's where mine evidently landed," Marion smiled in disarming candour. "No wonder I never got a reply."

"It's too bad I can't tell you any more, Miss," the man hesitated as Marion seemed to be casting around in her mind for further questions to ask him. "But that's all we know about her. They might be able to tell you more at Kelley's, if you can handle that old guy who runs the place—and you find him sober," he grinned as the young woman thanked him for his help and returned to McLoudry.

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**New Year's Cake**  
3 cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons baking powder; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 3/4 cup butter or other shortening; 1 1/2 cups sugar; 3 eggs; 3/4 cup milk; 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Beat eggs until very thick and light; add to creamed mixture and beat well. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375° F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Spread Seven Minute Frosting between layers and on top and sides of cake. Write "Happy New Year" on top of cake with melted chocolate, using a toothpick or fine-pasture brush. Decorate edges with clusters of small red cinnamon candies, and pieces of citron.

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The use of plastics for the new lighter — only the flint wheel is of metal — provides another example of the value of these materials at a time when metals of all kinds are rare. Made from raw materials of which there are unlimited supplies in Britain, plastics are being used in the production of aeroplanes, radio and electrical equipment, binoculars, spectacles and submarine periscopes, gear wheels and bearings, and even houses, coffins and dinghies.

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**Raisin Sponge Pudding**  
4 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca; 3 tablespoons sugar; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1 cup seedless raisins, finely chopped; 1 1/2 cups milk; 1 tablespoon orange juice; 2 tablespoons orange rind; 3 egg yolks, beaten until thick and lemon-colored; 3 egg whites, stiffly beaten.

Combine tapioca, sugar, salt, raisins, and milk in a pot of double boiler. Place over rapidly boiling water and cook 7 minutes after water boils again, stirring frequently. Add butter, orange juice, and orange rind. Cool slightly while beating eggs. Add egg yolks and mix well. Fold into egg whites. Turn into greased baking dish. Place in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 50 to 60 minutes, or until firm. Serve 8.

### CHANGING CONSUMER TASTE

Buying habits are changing faster now than in ten years previous to war, and it looks as though many more changes are ahead. Consumers are being urged to cut down on their purchases of certain products that we are shipping to Britain, for instance. On the other hand, the public is being asked to buy more of some foods in order to help primary producers who have lost their European sales.

Canned lobster is an example of a home product that we are urged to put on the shopping list. While the amount of canned salmon available for home consumption is somewhat restricted due to the fact that about three-quarters of the pack is currently being shipped to the British Isles, try for Food, canned lobster must all be marketed on this continent. None of it is now going to Britain.

The canned lobster industry supports our Maritime lobster fishermen, and at the beginning of the war its main market in Britain and on the continent was closed. If Canada and the United States had not immediately stepped into the picture and put canned lobster on their retail shelves, our lobster fishermen would have lost their main source of livelihood. As it is, we have now developed a decided taste for canned lobster, and we are buying all the canneries can supply.

It is a new development, of 67 years the industry has marketed about 50 per cent of its output across the Atlantic, amounting to something under 2 million dollars. When this sales channel suddenly closed, it appeared that the industry would collapse unless a market was created on this continent to take a product that had never been popularly sold here. This meant the requirements of a more exacting buyer than the European merchant. It also meant wide sales promotion and acquainting the public with the industry's plight.

A lobster controller was appointed by the Dominion Government and the problem effectively met by setting up a Government sales division for lobster aided by extensive advertising as well as some degree of supervision regarding standards for the product. Lobster fishermen were guaranteed a fair price per pound for their catch.

The result has been almost phenomenal success. The buying habits of the public were developed to take all the lobster that the canneries put out. By the end of 1940, the entire pack of the year was disposed of at a price which enabled both lobster fishermen and canneries to receive a fair return.

This year's spring catch went fast, and the fall pack now is, in addition good sale. Many people are buying canned lobster for the first time.

### DOCUMENT PHOTOGRAPHY

How Britain Saves Valuable Records From Nazi Fire Bombs

Destruction of valuable records by fire, normally a negligible business risk, became a serious menace in Britain during the ordeal by fire from the air. The result has been the stimulation of new methods of the duplication of records, drawings, accounts and all manner of business data liable to destruction by enemy action.

Three photographic processes are employed, in all of which British photographic technique has taken the lead. By the first of these methods a document or drawing is photographed direct on to sensitized paper; the second is a new application of the reflex method, the copies being the same size as the originals; while

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the third, and most important, utilizes the cine also film on which the documents are micro-copied.

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Apart from the enormous advantage of speed and accuracy, these systems are also economical. The wage bill for a typist copying a 1,500 page document would run to about \$100, whereas two juniors recently did the same work by the reflex method in 14 days. A 72 page folio report can be copied in 2 1/2 hours, a 200 page ledger double folio in four days.

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With Toys from Blitz Wreckage for Boy and Girl Evacuees

Motor lorries will rattle out of London on Christmas Eve with a great freight of 2,000 toys for the children of women on war work who are being cared for at Nursery Centres until the bombs stop falling.

Never have toys had a queerer origin. There are beds complete with bedding, dolls of all kinds, coats for large-size dolls, see-saws, chutes, fire engines, large model yachts with sails, and large pink elephants and rocking horses, model shops, complete with goods to the last detail, model aeroplanes and aerodromes and a complete convoy set of ships.

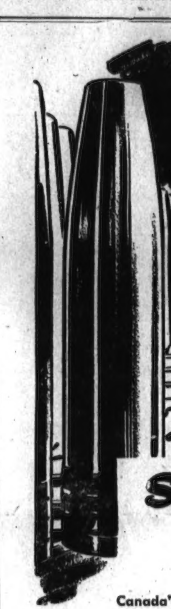
All of them have been made by the firemen of 29 London stations from the wreckage of the blitz — odd bits of timber and metal, lead piping and guttering. The lead has become soldiers cast from a mould made by a fireman; the American War Relief gave the gay paints for them. Old socks, stockings and curtain rags have supplied the fabrics used.

And the result in workmanship design and color is as good as the toys the big stores used to show at Christmas time.

### CONSCRIPT YOUR QUARTERS

AND DOLLARS TO BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS.

### How Does Your Label Read?



## SAVING IS SERVICE

Canada's strength is your strength, yours and your fellow citizens. By saving you can turn your strength into effective power for war or peace.

Saving is more vital now than ever before.

It's wise to anticipate the needs of tomorrow, rather than satisfy the impulses of today. You acquire a thrift habit, bringing a constructive force into your life and in a broader sense — into Canada as a whole.

Save all you can — it's the urgent thing to do!

*To Save is Practical Patriotism*

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

## ADVERTISING....

### (A MESSAGE TO LOCAL MERCHANTS)

It is difficult for us to conceive of any single force which wields so great an influence in our life as advertising... yet, how many people stop to consider what advertising really is.

Advertising is any means or method of communication of essential information as to where, when and how a commodity or service may be obtained... and WHY IT IS DESIRABLE.

Before people will buy, they must be 'sold'. They must make up their mind that they want the goods or service more than any other product their money will buy... more than they want to keep the money.

But how can a person find this magic formula of convincing prospects "WHY IT IS DESIRABLE"?

The answer lies in the product or service itself.

Why do people buy your product now?

How do they use it?

What does it do for them?

Where do they use it?

When do they use it?

How often do they use it?

Take a pencil and write down the answers to these questions. Study your answers and you'll have the basis on which to build your advertising message.

Then your next job is to tell them "Why it is desirable" from their point of view. Remember, they are interested in their own wants and needs — not in a lot of adjectives making beautiful claims. The public doesn't care how big your firm is or how old it is... they are interested in themselves, their health, their happiness, their family and their own beliefs.

Fix this thought in your mind: "WHY IT IS DESIRABLE FROM THEIR POINT OF VIEW"...

Your local newspaper has proven that it is the most desirable medium for many sales messages — what about yours?



**MAGIC BAKING POWDER**

Dependable for 3 Generations

**CANADIAN RED CROSS**

WAINWRIGHT AND DISTRICT RED CROSS SOCIETY

Mrs. O. R. Hannah ..... President  
Mrs. J. C. Middlemass ..... Treasurer  
H. S. C. Smart ..... Secretary



## Christmas Cards

A FINE SELECTION

PRICED ..... 3 for 5c and up

### Wainwright Pharmacy

DRUGS, STATIONERY AND ELECTRICAL MERCHANDISE  
Phone 46 Wainwright

### DON'T FOOL YOURSELF!

This weather isn't going to last long... and when the cold snap comes you may not be able to start your car...

Come in today and have a new **BATTERY** installed. We carry a good line of batteries made by the largest company in Canada.

Also: why not let our mechanics see to those little things that are bothering you. He will fix it up in a jiffy and you will have trouble-free motoring all winter.

### BUFFALO SERVICE STATION

S. R. BOWERMAN

GENERAL MOTORS CARS AND TRUCKS  
Second Avenue Wainwright

**HAVE YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS  
PRINTED AT THE STAR OFFICE  
PRICES REASONABLE  
WORK GUARANTEED**

**NOW IS THE TIME TO...  
REPLACE**

### Broken Panes of Glass IN STORM SASH

Or Better Yet...

**PUT ON THOSE BADLY-NEEDED NEW  
SASHES THAT ARE MADE IN  
OUR OWN FACTORY**

**GET YOUR WEATHER STRIP, COAL  
AND BUILDING MATERIAL NOW**  
while conditions are right

If it's something in the Building Line, regardless of what it is, we can supply your needs in a jiffy

### ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.

PHONES: 57-66 HOMEY HOMEY C. STAFFORD, Mgr

### PYREX

OVENWARE — FLAMEWARE

Complete stock—Select your Xmas gifts early

- CASSEROLES
- UTILITY DISHES
- PIE PLATES
- CAKE DISHES
- BREAD PANS
- CUSTARD CUPS
- PERCOLATORS
- TEA POTS
- SKILLETS
- DOUBLE BOILERS

AND MANY OTHER ARTICLES ALL IN PYREX

IF IT'S HARDWARE, SEE

### WASHBURN'S

DAY PHONE 54 NIGHT PHONE 30  
MAIN STREET WAINWRIGHT

## NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson, of Irma, at the Wainwright Municipal Hospital on November 28th, a girl.

**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert, of Heath, at the Wainwright Municipal Hospital on November 29th, a boy.

If for any reason you require extra copies of The Star, please order these before Monday afternoon of that week; thus helping to conserve paper and save wastage. Thank you!

St. Andrew, the patron saint of Scotland was duly honored by those of that nativity on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Taylor returned home from the city on Friday last.

Mr. Allan Stephenson, of Edmonton is in town this week visiting friends before leaving for R.C.A.F. duties in the east.

Mrs. A. S. McKee and daughter were in the city for a few days last week visiting friends there.

Mr. Vic, Devignon spent a short leave in town last week end renewing acquaintances.

McLeod's parson was in charge of the funeral on Monday of Mr. Harry McCowan, who died last week aged 81 years, from heart failure. He was caretaker at one of the oil wells for some time, and had been here for the past 15 years.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Schmitt motored to Edmonton at the week end to visit their son Gordon in training there.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi LaFrance are here from Turner Valley to spend a holiday with the latter's parents in the Gull Edge district.

An alterations is noticed this week in the C.N.R. draying business. Mr. Fred Atwell has now taken this over from Mr. M. B. McLeod who has handed this for several years, and the new drayman is welcomed to our midst.

We learn that Mrs. Fred Church is a patient at the hospital since Thursday last.

\*\*\* **HOUSEWIVES**: Don't bother about melting snow all winter—that takes fuel! Let Ivan the waterman keep you supplied regularly each week with good soft water. Just phone 166, he'll call.

### COMING EVENTS

"Linda's First Christmas Concert" is the title given to the Christmas entertainment to be presented under the auspices of the "Teen-age Girls' W.A." of St. Thomas (Ang.) church. Aided by young people of all ages, the girls promise each one a very enjoyable evening in the new parish hall on December 17th commencing at 8:00 p.m. Candy for sale. Tickets 15 cents.

The Members of Adeline Rebekah Lodge I.O.O.F. will stage another of their enjoyable Military Whist parties in their hall on Wednesday, December 10th commencing at 8:30 p.m. All are welcome. Good prizes. Lunch at close of play.

United Church Bazaar—Fancy work, afternoon tea and home cooking. Starts at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 6th, in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

### CLASSIFIED ADS.

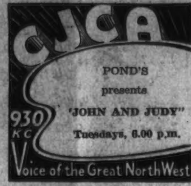
**FOR SALE**  
QUANTITY OF GRIMM ALFALFA SEED for sale at 18c per lb. Farmers needing this seed should contact me at once (and thus save freight charges) or it will be shipped out.—G. S. Baker, phone 310, Wainwright.

**FOUND**  
PAIR OF HORN-RIMMED SPECTACLES are at The Star Office and can be claimed upon identification and paying for this advt.

**FOR RENT**  
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW ON 6th Avenue to rent; built-in cupboards; sink and soft water in kitchen; garage on lot—Apply Atlas Lumber Co.

**WANTED**  
MEN WANTED FOR RAWLHURST Routes of 800 families. Good profits for hustlers. Write today, Rawlhurst, Dept. WG-108-S-5, Winnipeg, Canada.

**WANTED**  
A CAPABLE GIRL TO HELP WITH house-work—sleep at home. Wages \$10 a month. Apply Star Office.



Prime Minister Churchill celebrated his 67th birthday anniversary on Sunday last, by continuing his arduous duties of running the British Empire.

A picture of Corp. F. A. Miller, R.C.M.P. of the local detachment appears in the latest issue of the "Royal Canadian Mounted Police Quarterly," which shows a group of officers of that body sent to Vladivostok and the Siberian front in the last war in 1918. As a member of a cavalry provost squadron he was a good-looking youngster then too!

Mr. Andy Fonech, the local bank teller, is nursing a belated attack of flu these days and we wish him speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. MacWilliam and daughter Shirley from Dodds, Alta., are here on a visit to friends in town.

Mrs. Ruth Forester made a real flying trip to Edmonton on Saturday afternoon last on business.

It is pleasing to note that Ted Moore who recently suffered a smashed foot is able to be around again although painfully limping.

At a well-attended meeting of the old-timers on Saturday last, Mr. George Reynolds was appointed as president, and Mr. L. Alexander as sec-treas.

We learn that arrangements are to be made to hold a real old-time dance in the near future.

Following a three-months spell of sickness, Mrs. Gus Gehring is now back again at his old position in the Atlas Lumber Yard.

Miss Lily Simpson, R.N., missionary from Jaunt, India, who is in Canada on furlough, will address the congregation in St. Andrew's (Pres.) church on Sunday December 7th. These addresses will be deeply interesting.

We are informed that Mr. Chas. E. Senik is now getting along nicely from his recent accident although he has no assurance yet that he will not lose the sight of one eye.

This week's meeting of the War Service League will be held at the home of Mrs. J. G. Clark on Friday next at 3 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Plaxton and daughter Eleanor left on Monday for Toronto and other eastern points where they intend to spend the winter visiting relatives. They were accompanied by Mrs. Plaxton's brothers Billy and Frank McLennan.

Mrs. J. Bwing, of Jasper, is a guest of Mrs. T. Lant for a short holiday.

Quite a number of "forgetful" citizens had a session with Magistrate Ganderton last week, when the gentleman explained the need for radio licenses—and charged for the knowledge, too!

Edmonton last week end for a few days.

Mr. Bill Tansey was a tripper to Mr. Fred Atwell, the new C.N.R. drayman, can be reached by phone 135, and all persons are hereby informed of that order for pick-up going East must be placed by 10:30 a.m., and for the west-bound business by 3:00 p.m. This is for either express or freight so govern yourselves accordingly.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Burkholder were in town for a few days from their home at Antelope, Alta.; to visit the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Prosser.

Messrs Jack Strachan and Geo. Skinner were in town from Winnipeg last week and gave us a call—of course.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Caron left for Saskatoon on Tuesday to visit relatives there.

Mrs. Mary Ganderton spent a couple of days in Edmonton on business last week.

Mrs. Tommy Ware and baby son returned from Brandon last week. They are now visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. F. Shlenn.

The Rt. Rev. W. F. Barfoot, M.A., DD., bishop of Edmonton will be a week-end visitor in Wainwright. On Sunday next, Dec. 7th the bishop will preach at the morning service in the St. Thomas church, and administer the rite of confirmation at the evening service. On Monday evening the new parish hall of that congregation will be officially opened by the bishop.

Capt. E. W. Kelly and Staff-Sergeant L. M. Roberts were here from Edmonton "sortin' 'em over" on Tuesday, before continuing their recruiting drive in centers eastward.

We are informed that the Arthur's truck service has now been purchased by Mr. Emmett Smith who is to take over at once.

Word was received in town this week of the sudden death of Mr. Pat Patterson, who was serving overseas with the R. C. M. P. provost company. He will be remembered here by many as a constable formerly attached to the local R.C.M.P. barracks.

Having attained her ambition, Miss Ruth Forester, one of the nursing staff at the local hospital is being congratulated upon having received an appointment with the T.C.A. as air-liner hostess. She plans to leave for her new position at the 15th.

**CONSERVE YOUR QUARTERS AND DOLLARS TO BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS.**

**SEEDTIME AND HARVEST**  
By Dr. K. W. Neathy  
Director, Agricultural Department  
North-West Line Elevators Association  
AN ILLUSTRATED GUIDE TO PRAIRIE WEEDS

The above title has been chosen for a new 72-page bulletin just published by the Agricultural Department of the North-West Line Elevators Association. This bulletin contains portraits photographs of 53 common weeds, and four of the illustrations are in full color. All of the weeds are listed and also described, and brief notes on 22 others are included. At the end of the bulletin will be found photographs of seeds of 60 different weeds.

The chief purpose of the bulletin is to assist farmers and others in identifying weeds. A few remarks on control methods are offered in most cases, but these are brief. Methods of control must be adapted to local conditions and, hence, specific recommendations can rarely be applied to large areas.

The first essential in fighting weeds is to know them. This is particularly true of pernicious such as Leafy Spurge, Fleecy Grass and others. Control is relatively easy if undertaken in time, and a delay of two or three years may be costly.

It has been stated that, in the United States, losses due to weeds are one and one-half times as great as the combined loss due to animal diseases, plant diseases and insect pests. The situation on the Canadian prairies is probably not very different.

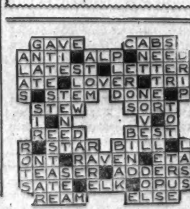
The new bulletin will be found most helpful, and should be in the hands of every prairie province farmer. Copies may be obtained free of charge from grain buyers of any line elevator company associated with this Department or from The North-West Line Elevators Association, Winnipeg or Calgary.

**SUPPORT OUR FAR-FLUNG BATTLE LINE**

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATE

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. M. A. DuMont wishes to announce that his Dental Office will be closed from December 20th to January 5th, 1942, and patients are asked to govern themselves accordingly.



## Grocery Specials

FOR DECEMBER 4th to 9th

<b>RAISINS</b> Seeded, Calif., 2 lbs. .39	<b>CURRENTS</b> Re-cleaned, 2 lbs. .29
<b>PEEL</b> Out mixed, lb. .29	<b>NIBLETS</b> Del Malt, 2 tins .29
<b>TOMATOES</b> Choice, 4 tins .55	<b>Marmalade</b> Orange, 4 lb. tin .55
<b>Soda Biscuits</b> 40 oz. box .39	<b>TEA</b> Fort York, lb. .75
<b>Nabob Coffee</b> 3 lb. glass jar 1.75	<b>Pitted Dates</b> Sabra, 2 lbs. .45
<b>SULTANAS</b> Blenched, lb. .20	<b>APRICOTS</b> Aylmer, 2 tins .35
<b>Genuine Jello</b> All flavors, 3 pkts. 23	<b>Sweet Relish</b> Crispette, 14-oz. jar .25
<b>APPLES</b> Rome Beauty, box 2.25	<b>ONIONS</b> No. 1 B.C., 9 lbs. .49

### FORRYAN'S GROCERY

IF YOU GET IT AT FORRYAN'S IT'S GOOD  
FOR SERVICE PHONE 18

### CUTEX NAIL POLISH

Complete color range, ..... 25c each

### CUTEX XMAS SETS

from ..... 60c up

### Standard Pharmacy

LORNE MITCHELL

PHONE 38

### THE BOSTON CLEANING WORKS

Having opened the premises formerly ALMA MEAT MARKET, we are prepared to do...

**CLEANING, REPAIRING & PRESSING**  
of LADIES' & GENTS' SUITS, COATS, DRESSES and other GARMENTS AT RIGHT PRICES—HATS CLEANED AND BLOCKED

NECKTIES, GLOVES AND CAPS AND DRESSES CLEANED  
GIVE US A TRIAL... SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

TOM SETO, Proprietor

Main Street Wainwright

### YOU CERTAINLY WOULD LOOK FOOLISH

Saving Your Belongings

In a Wheelbarrow!

Don't take chances...

it may prove costly. Insure today and save yourself a big worry.

Call and inquire about this low-cost protection



**WHEN FIRE COMES**  
don't depend on luck or a wheelbarrow to save loss on your possessions.

See about your FIRE INSURANCE NOW.

### C. W. STAFFORD

ATLAS LUMBER YARD PHONES: 57-56

### ELITE DOINGS

Thurs., Fri., and Sat. December 4, 5 and 6

Alexander Korde's Magic Technicolor Special

"THE THIEF OF BAGDAD"

An All-Star Cast—United Artists' Classic

UNIVERSAL WEEKLY NEWS—The Present Talk of the World

(released only a few weeks)

Monday and Tuesday December 8 and 9

"SCATTERGOOD MEETS BROADWAY"

Scattergood Buines Series—As the best-loved and best-known character in all modern fiction,

A Swell Comedy Drama for your entertainment. Well-known Radio Stars, now on the screen—Guy Kibbee and Emma Dunn.

CAKTOON SPORTS REVUE

Matinee Every Saturday—2:30 p.m. — 2 Shows Saturday Night